

## PIONEER NEWSLETTERS & WE, AT&T, LUCENT & NOKIA CO-WORKER DIRECTORY

**If you have reviewed the directory and can identify the status of some of our coworkers please send me the information and the master file will be updated accordingly.**

The WE, AT&T, Lucent & Nokia Co-Worker Directory is continually updated as changes are received. Changes received after November 2019 will not be published in the form of a hardcopy directory until November 2020. To request an updated 2019 issue, due to the increase in size and cost they are \$10.00 plus \$2.50 for postage and envelope or with prior notification it can be picked up at any event. Contact person: Judy Herbst at [jcherbst@att.net](mailto:jcherbst@att.net) or call 314-753-8988. Distributions have continued to be made throughout the year. **Therefore, if you have paid for a directory and have not received it please let us know and we will review the records and get back with you.**

Please send new or renewal subscription checks to Eastern MO. Council, PO. Box 1104, Ballwin, MO 63022.

**Just a reminder!** The 2020 Renewal/subscriptions to the newsletter deadline is March 31, 2020. The fees are \$5.00 for US mail and \$1.00 for emails.

Pioneer membership - please send all contact information, change of address, telephone number and email to Peggy Davenport at [peggysemail@charter.net](mailto:peggysemail@charter.net) or call her at 314-435-0409.

### PALS HOURS - Steven Brown

**REMINDER!!!!** Please send your volunteer hours/information to Steve, and he will update the PALS (Headquarter file) for our Eastern MO Council. **Send your PALS hours to:**

**Steven Brown**

**966 Century Oaks Drive**

**Ballwin, MO 63021**

or e-mail them to [stemar1984@gmail.com](mailto:stemar1984@gmail.com).

### 2019 Fundraisers

#### ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT – Mike & Pat Hawkins – Judy Herbst Co-Chairpersons

Plans for the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf tournament to be held at Links of Dardenne 2020 are in the making.

We are always in need of Golfers, Volunteers, Contributor to the Silence Auction, and Coworker sponsorships, if you are interested please contact Mike, Pat or Judy.

#### ALUMINUM CAN DRIVE – Chairperson Needed

Our Council is hoping you will consider saving all your aluminum cans. Every pound helps! By the end of the year we could accumulate 2-3 hundred dollars. Please crush the cans and bring them to the December Luncheon.

Thanks to **Glen Herbst, John Koziattek, Carolyn & George Zornada, Paula & Joe Fox, Larry Richard and Rich & Ann Thiel** for their ongoing contribution to the drive.

#### DISHING UP CHILI – Plus National Pioneer Food Drive

Dishing it up chili fundraiser was canceled due to weather; however, our final participation in the Annual National Pioneer food drive was not as great as last year but with just a few peoples contributing and in less than 3 weeks, I would consider it successful. The overall projection should be how many meals it would provide. Using the formula provide to us it would equate to 177 meals that we have provided:

Date	Cans	Boxes / packages	Cash	Equal # of Meals
January	1	1	\$100.00	
February	1	2	\$50.00	
November	48	178	\$188.95	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>\$338.95</b>	<b>177</b>



**Bake Sale - Fundraiser – Everyone**

Our goal for this year’s bake sale is set for \$350 as that was the sales from last year Christmas luncheon. We hope that you will join us at the Christmas luncheon and take home some of the holiday goodies!

**Council Projects**

**Community Service**

Frank C Masotto  
Carole Masotto  
Marilyn Brown  
Judy Herbst  
Glen Herbst

**Hospital Volunteer**

John J Miller  
Joan Miller  
Michael J Moughan  
Gloria Moughan

**Book Fair**

Steven M Brown  
Marilyn Brown

**School**

Kathleen Koziatek

**Food Pantry Projects – Bob Forth & Toni Forth – Project Coordinator**

**Circle of Concern**

September – Deliveries

9/4/19-\$30.00-Magazines - Gniadek  
9/25/19-\$136.00 personal care items- Gniadek  
9/27/19-\$80.00 personal care items & 15 cans goods – Gniadek

October – Deliveries

08/21/19- \$58.71 Meat – Herbst  
10/3/19-\$60 personal care items- Gniadek  
10/12/19- \$35.00-9 bx- 15 can goods – Sturgess  
10/12/19 - 2 cans, 1 salad dressing & 1 vegetable mix – Zornada

November – Deliveries

11/12/19 - \$665.17 Xmas for 5 adults – Forth  
11/12/19 - \$153.95 Cans goods – Forth

Again, many thanks to Robert & Kay Gniadek and Charlie & Carol Wilmes for their monthly contributions and to all others who have dropped money into the donation container at the various functions.

From our council, Bob and Toni, we would like to ask our members to bring canned goods or dry products to our December functions. This month Bob and Toni have been shopping for a 5 member family for Christmas. Our council members will be gathering to help with the wrapping of the gifts on December 4<sup>th</sup> for the delivery on December 10<sup>th</sup>.

**This month Circle are in need of:** Pasta sauce, baby wipes and feminine products. They can always use things like peanut butter, jelly, vegetables, pasta and soup, just to mention a few.

**Circle Standard Shopping List:**

Boxed Cereal Dry Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Canned Pasta, Peanut Butter, Jelly / Jam, Canned Chicken, Canned Tuna, Macaroni & Cheese, "Dinner" Helpers, Dry Potatoes/Dry Beans/Dry Rice, Canned Fruit, Canned Vegetables, Baking staples. Personal Care Items: Hair Conditioner, Lotion, Razors, Deodorant, Bar Soap, Body Wash, **Size 5 & 6 diapers, (Special Need this month)** Baby Wipes, Feminine Hygiene Products.

### **Other Pantries -**

#### Food Pantry – Hours:

If you are working with a food pantry other than Circle of concern, please let us know so the council can support with donations and/or volunteers. If you have hours, please pass them on to Steve Brown.

### Children's Hospital Foundation – Bruce Rakita – Project Coordinator

#### **Camp Rhythm**

We received a "Thank You" letter from Children's Hospital for our contribution to Camp Rhythm! Our visit with the children really touched our hearts and we all left feeling we wanted to be more involved. It was a great experience for all of us. Those that attended were Bruce Rakita, Pat Hawkins, Bob Forth, Donna & Don Sturgess and Judy Herbst. Camp Rhythm is a 5-day/4-night camp for children who were born with a heart defect or developed a heart problem that required intervention and ongoing follow-up care prior to the age of 18.

#### Military Projects

##### **USO – Lambert Airport - Coordinator Carolyn Zornada**

The USO Committee has been very devoted in delivering food and personal hygiene items each month to the USO all year.

##### **September**

- \$ 259.29 - Carolyn & Bruce-shopping-Bruce delivering
- \$ 25.00 - Donna Sturgess
- \$ 11.00 - Donation jar
- \$ 14.00 - Charlotte-Coffee & Granola bars

##### **October**

- \$ 274.07 - Carolyn & Bruce-shopping-Bruce delivering

##### **November**

- \$ 285.00 - Bruce shopping & delivering
- \$ 20.00 - Charlotte-Granola bars 2 boxes

##### **Transport Veterans to VA hospital – Gary Bay**

We can't Thank Gary & Kippi Bay, enough for their continued service providing transportation for Our Veterans in the Washington area to the veteran's hospital and other appointments. Gary spent an average of 15 hours a month volunteering.

##### COMFORTING CRAFTS: - Paula Fox project coordinator

On Friday, November 15, 2019. the following items, made by the following volunteers were delivered to Mercy Hospital and Missouri Baptist Medical Center:

#### **MERCY**

- 10 - Flannel Baby Blankets (Donna Sturgess and Charlotte Stevens)
- 5 - Flannel Blankets for the Rehabilitation Department (Donna Sturgess)
- 10 - Hug-a-Pillows (Charlotte Stevens and Paula Fox)
- 10 - Palm Toys (Paula Fox)
- 10 - Crocheted Baby Hats (Peggy Hatcher and Phyllis Huddleston)
- 3 - Crocheted Baby Afghans (Dottie Dunker)

6 - Crocheted Adult Shawls (Laura Shively)

**MISSOURI BAPTIST MEDICAL CENTER**

- 10 -Flannel Baby Blankets (Toni Forth and Charlotte Stevens)
- 5 - Flannel Blankets for the Pediatrics Department (Donna Sturgess)
- 10 - Hug-a-Pillows (Charlotte Stevens and Paula Fox)
- 10 - Palm Toys (Paula Fox)
- 10 - Crocheted Baby Hats (Peggy Hatcher and Phyllis Huddleston)
- 3 - Crocheted Baby Afghans (Dottie Dunker)
- 15 - Mother/Baby Scent Pads (Paula Fox)

**The Center for autism Education – Don Hermann - Don’s daughter is Amy Buie**

4110 Old Mill Parkway, St. Peters, MO 63376 - (636) 978-7785



The Mission of The Center for Autism Education is to assure that every child, family and adult that we serve is provided the highest quality training in functional skills and behavior intervention in a respectful, positive and safe learning environment so that all reach their fullest potential, becoming successful, happy, and contributing members of the community and society at large.

Our Council will support the Center for Autism Education again in 2020, the donation to be used for tuition for a student or a tool that may help a child to communicated better.

**PRAYERS & GET-WELL CARDS - Toni Forth**

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|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| Margaret Lexow | Shirley Yaeger | Bill Wicks    | Frank Willis  |
| Anne Lexow     | George Zornada | Bernie Widdis | Carol Collins |
| Pat Bitzer     | Tom Howard     | Diane Wilds   | Rick Clemons  |

**BEREAVEMENTS – Toni Forth**

**2019 DECEASED**

Bill William G. Brown	Ken Kniats	Dick Sollmann
Henry Coleman	Melissa Larsen	Constance M. Stapf
Don Dayton	Helene Page	Steve Turner
Harold J. "Hal" Eynon	Jack Rooney	Pat Van
John Frederick "Jack" Frese	Russell "Russ" Mandziara	Nick Voigt
Carolyn Hinkamp Spouse	Christian J. Mergenthaler	Dennis Wipke
Al Houser	George Sevin	Robert Michael Witte - Spouse
Minnie Huston		

**THANK YOU NOTES**

Thanks to all of you that continue to send in you volunteer donations each month the donations are very much appreciation as they help us to establish our 2020 Budget and for our council to stay alive in the Pioneers. We are still excepting donations from new donors, the contributions can be mail to our council’s post office box 1104 Ballwin, Mo. 63022 or to: Judy Herbst, 3708 Hawks Rest, Pacific, Mo. 63069

We have received our Monthly thank you notes from:

- [Children's Hospital Foundation](#) – thanked us for our donation of \$1,500 to Camp Rhythm  
“Your members’ heartfelt commitment to these special campers provides a noteworthy moment in time in their young lives. Please let them know how appreciative we are for their partnership and thank them for making a difference” Warm Regards, Flip Becker – Senior Director.
- [The Circle of Concern](#) - thanked us for our donations of food and cash.
- [The USO at Lambert Field](#) - thanked us for our donation of snacks and toiletries.
- [Mercy Hospital](#) - new born hats and blanket.
- [Missouri Baptist Medical Center](#) - Thank you for the donation. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!  
*Cindy Weishaar, BSN, RN, Nurse Manager, Newborn Intensive Care Unit, Missouri Baptist Medical Center* office: 314.996.3514 | cell: 314.220.7849

## **DID YOU KNOW? – Judy Herbst**

### Fun Fact

1. The world’s oldest piece of chewing gum is over 9,000 years old!
2. A coyote can hear a mouse moving underneath a foot of snow.
3. Bolts of lightning can shoot out of an erupting volcano.
4. New York drifts about one inch farther away from London each year.
5. A U.S. dollar bill can be folded approximately 4,000 times in the same place before it will tear.
6. A sneeze travels about 100 miles per hour.
7. Earth has traveled more than 5,000 miles in the past 5 minutes.
8. It would take a sloth one month to travel one mile.
9. 10% of the World’s population is left handed.
10. A broken clock is right two times every day.
11. According to Amazon, the most highlighted books on Kindle are the Bible, the Steve Jobs biography, and The Hunger Games.
12. Bob Marley’s last words to his son before he died were “Money can’t buy life.”
13. A mole can dig a tunnel that is 300 feet long in only one night.
14. A hippo’s wide open mouth is big enough to fit a 4-foot-tall child in.
15. Chewing gum while you cut an onion will help keep you from crying.
16. If you were to stretch a Slinky out until it’s flat, it would measure 87 feet long.
17. Al Capone’s business card said he was a used furniture dealer
18. There are more collect calls on Father’s Day than on any other day of the year.
19. Banging your head against a wall burns 150 calories an hour.
20. 95% of people text things they could never say in person.
21. A crocodile can’t poke its tongue out.
22. It is physically impossible for pigs to look up into the sky.
23. Guinness Book of Records holds the record for being the book most often stolen from Public Libraries.

## **Gatherings**

### **Happy Hour – Jan Hanne Coordinator**

#### **Western Electric , ATT & Lucent Happy Hour**

Time: Friday, 4:00 to 10:30

Where: 1356 Public House. - 1356 Big Bend Rd, Valley Park/Ballwin, MO 63088 - (636) 861-1618

When: December 6, 2019

Data Center Breakfast – Don Hetherington



Next breakfast - Friday 3/6/2020 for our next meeting

Christmas Luncheon – Charlotte Stevens & Pat Hawkins

**Just a reminder, your reservations must be received by December 13, 2019.**

**Time: Fellowship at 11:00 Lunch at 12:00**

**Where: Syberg's- 270 & Dorsett Road**

**Cost: \$20.00 per person**

**When: December 18, 2019 Luncheon**

**Menu: Choice of Turkey and Dressing or Steam Boat Top Round of Beef  
Green Bean Almandine, Glazed Carrots, Syberg's House Salad  
Bakery Rolls and Butter  
Dessert Table  
Iced Tea, Coffee, and Water**

**Please mark Yes or No:**

**I will be bringing \_\_\_\_\_ (number) bake items for the "Bake Sales" to the Christmas luncheon.**

**Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_**

**Instead of bringing bake items we will donate \$10 or more for the Council to meet its goal of \$400.**

**Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_**

**Donations for food items or/and cash donation for Military Project (USO),  
Donations for nonperishable food items or/and cash donation for Circle of Concern.**

**Remember----walk-ins are no longer possible nor will it be possible to refund money  
for last-minute cancellations.**

**Please make your check for \$20.00 per person payable to EASTERN MISSOURI COUNCIL #136 and  
must be received by  
December 13, 2019.**

**Send to** Charlotte Stevens  
5 Barkwood Court  
St. Peters MO 63376  
636-441-3718

**NAME**-----**ENTREE**-----

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